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FOR: MANUFACTURE HAVING DOUBLE SIDED FEATURES IN A METAL
CONTAINING WEB AND MANUFACTURE AND METHOD FOR
FORMING SAME IN A LIQUID-BASED ETCH PROCESS

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 11, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and accompanying remarks. A Request for Continued Examination is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

Conclusion is on page 16 of this paper.

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